

**6310 - Wilderness Characteristics Inventory  
Summary of Findings and Conclusions**

**Area Unique Identifier:** CA-080-196 Lynx Cat Mountain

**Summary:** The inventory unit does not meet the size requirements to be considered as lands with wilderness characteristics.

**Results of analysis:**

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? \_\_\_ Yes **X** No
2. Does the area appear to be natural? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No **X** N/A
3. Does the area offer outstanding opportunities for solitude or a primitive and unconfined type of recreation? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No **X** N/A
4. Does the area have supplemental values? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No **X** N/A

**Conclusion:**

\_\_\_ The area, or a portion of the area, has wilderness characteristics and is identified as lands with wilderness characteristics.

**X** The area does not have wilderness characteristics.

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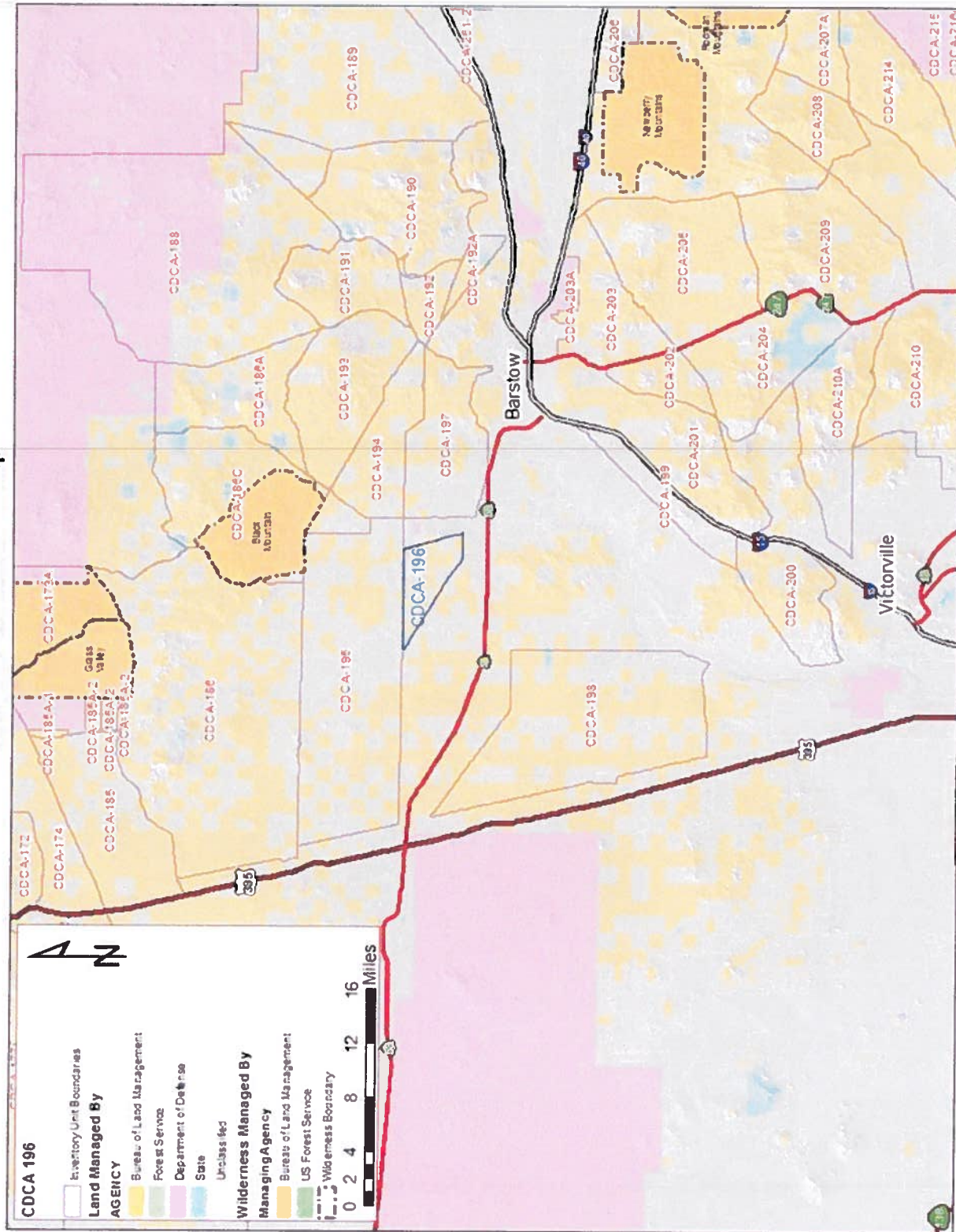
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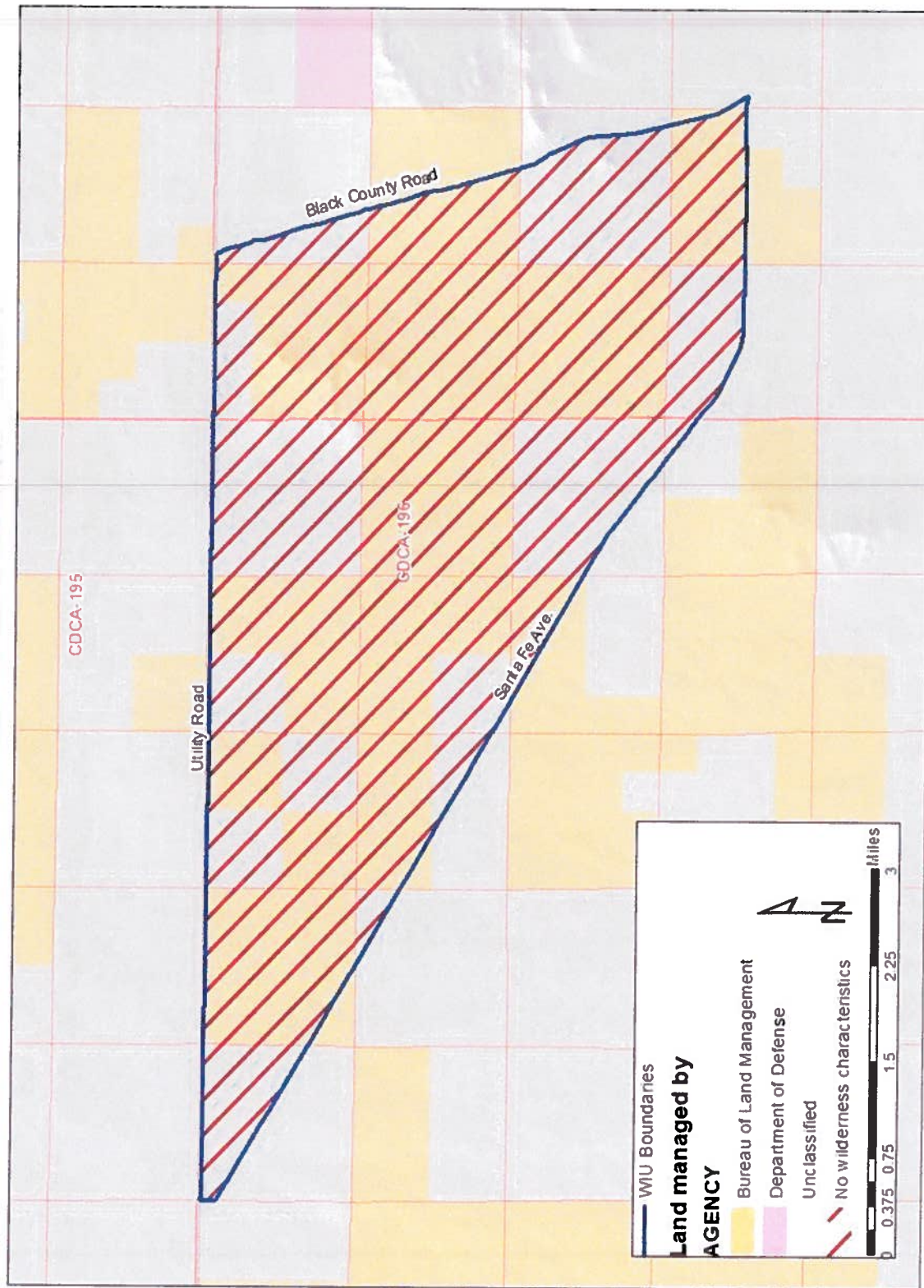
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# CDCA-196 Orientation Map



CDCA-196: Lynx Cat lands with wilderness characteristics



**FORM 1**

**Documentation of BLM Wilderness Characteristics Inventory Findings from Previous Inventory on Record**

**1. Is there existing BLM wilderness characteristics inventory information on all or part of this area?**

No \_\_\_\_ (Go to Form 2) Yes X (If yes, and if more than one area is within the area, list the unique identifiers for those areas.):

**a) Inventory Source:** 1979 Wilderness Inventory Final Descriptive Narratives

**b) Inventory Area Unique Identifier(s):** CA-080-196 Lynx Cat Mountain

**c) Map Name(s)/Number(s):** California Desert Access Guide Victorville Surface Management Status 1:100,000 (2012); California Desert Wilderness Inventory Map, March 31, 1979

**d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s):** California Desert District, Barstow Field Office

**2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:**

Land Ownership:

The area is roughly 50 percent public land but does not contain 5,000 acres of contiguous public lands and is not of sufficient size to make practical its preservation and use in an unimpaired condition.

Inventory Source: California Desert Conservation Area - Wilderness Inventory- Final Descriptive Narratives - March 31st, 1979

Area Unique Identifier	Sufficient Size? Yes/No	Naturalness? Yes/No	Outstanding Solitude? Yes/No	Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Yes/No	Supplemental Values? Yes/No
WIU 196	No	No	No	No	No

**FORM 2**

**Current Conditions: Presence or Absence of Wilderness Characteristics**

Area Unique Identifier: CA-080-196 Lynx Cat Mountain    Total Acreage: 8,656

(1) Is the area of sufficient size?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No X

Description: Wilderness inventory unit 196 is triangular and encompasses Lynx Cat Mountain. The area is bordered on the north by a steel-structure power line along Utility Road. The unit is bounded to the east by Black Canyon Road. The southern boundary runs along Santa Fe Ave. Part of this wilderness inventory unit falls within the Superior-Cronese Desert Wildlife Management Area.

The unit contains a total of 8,656 acres of public and private land but only 4,936 acres are public land, therefore it does not meet the minimum size requirement.

(2) Does the area appear to be natural?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A X

(3) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A X

(4) Does the area (or the remainder of the area if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A X

(5) Does the area have supplemental values (ecological, geological, or other features of scientific, educational, scenic or historical value)?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ N/A X